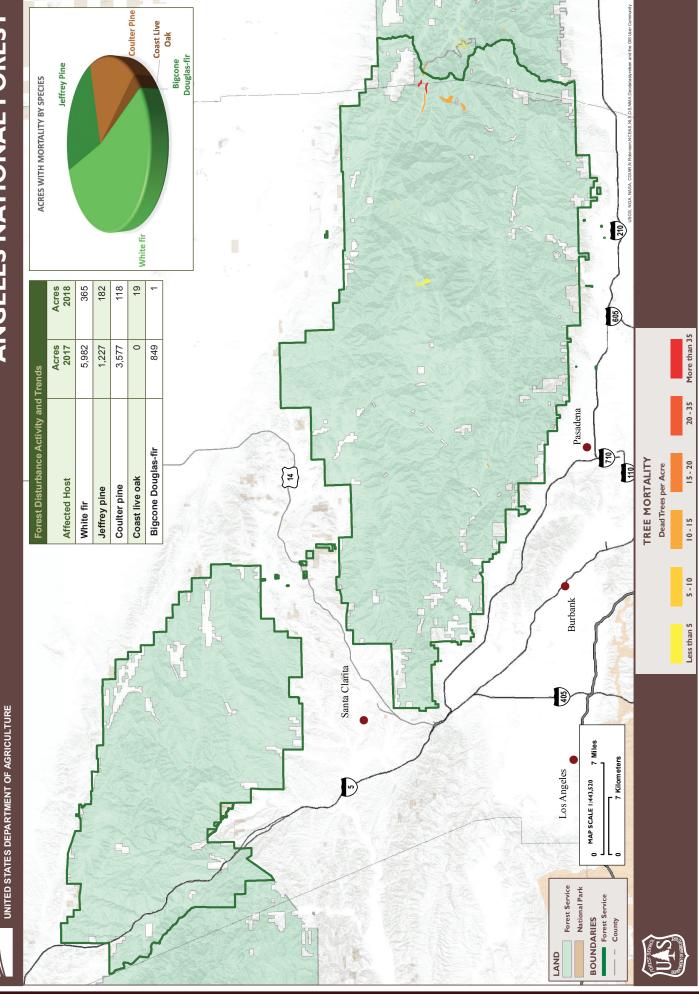
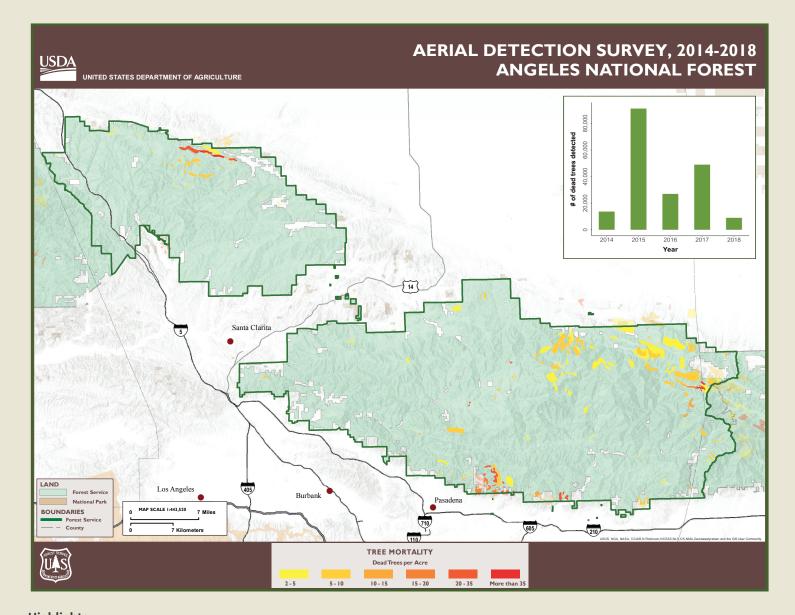
## **AERIAL DETECTION SURVEY, 2018**







## Highlights

- Estimated tree mortality decreased from 49,000 dead trees across 12,000 acres in 2017 to an estimated 9,000 dead trees across 700 acres in 2018, concentrated mostly at the eastern edge of the Forest.
- White fir mortality decreased from approximately 26,000 dead trees across 6,000 acres in 2017 to 5,800 dead trees across 375 acres in 2018.
- Coulter pine mortality decreased from 3,600 acres with mortality in 2017 to 118 acres with mortality in 2018.
- Jeffrey pine mortality also decreased from an estimated 1,200 acres in 2017 to 180 acres with mortality in 2018.
- Virtually no bigcone Douglas-fir mortality was detected in 2018, down from an estimated 850 acres with mortality in 2017.
- Coast live oak mortality was observed on an estimated 19 acres and 192 trees in 2018, none were detected in 2017.



Jeffrey pine mortality west of Dawson Peak, Angeles National Forest.